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Dr. Virginia Kneeland Frantz



Dear Virginia:

Clover and I deeply appreciated your letter of last Sunday and thank you for all you had to say about Foster, his work and his courage. We join in thanking you and Andrew in writing us.

Sincerely,

SIGNED

Allen W. Dulles  
Director

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David Edward Finley, Esq.



Dear David:

I sincerely appreciated your thoughtful letter of May 27 about Foster.

It was quite a unique tribute he received and during the last weeks of his illness, he was really buoyed up by the thought that there was wide appreciation both here and abroad of what he had been striving to accomplish.

Sincerely,

**SIGNED**

Allen W. Dulles  
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VIA AIR MAIL

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*Card*  
M. Pierre Mendes France

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Dear Monsieur Mendes France:

I was deeply touched by your thoughtfulness in writing me as you did about my brother, John Foster Dulles.

He had told me of his work with you during difficult days for the Free World and I shall treasure your appreciation of his character and work. He remained throughout a true friend and admirer of your country.

I shall share your letter with Mrs. Foster Dulles, and remain,

Faithfully yours,

**SIGNED**

Allen W. Dulles  
Director

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